

# State of New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services

## Division of Economic & Housing Stability COVID-19 Data

November 23, 2020

## Highlights - November 23, 2020

Helping individuals and families through the pandemic...

- Statewide, 2,482 individuals have been assisted to date with funding from the Housing Stability Program to maintain their housing.
- Through the work of the Child Care
  Recovery and Stabilization Program, there
  are over 45,360 child care spaces
  statewide.
- The Emergency Allotment for ongoing SNAP Households provides an increased benefit, bringing families to the maximum benefit for their family size. Monthly, an average of approximately 23,839 households receive this benefit.





## **Division of Economic & Housing Stability (DEHS)**

## **Mission**

To advance the health, economic, and social well-being of individuals, families, and communities.

## Vision

Individuals and families are strong, resilient, and thriving in their communities.



## **Social Determinants of Health**

#### **Environmental Health**

Environmental elements support individuals' wellness and health behaviors; exposure to toxic substances, and physical hazards is reduced.

#### **Education**

Children are ready to learn and able to graduate; adults are adequately prepared to be self-sufficient.

#### Education



#### Safety

Individuals live in safe and inclusive communities; free from abuse, neglect, discrimination, inequity, crime, and violence

#### Safety



#### **Transportation**

Individuals have safe affordable, and accessible transportation options.

#### **Transportation**



Healthy Thriving Communities

Environmental Health

## Food & Nutrition

#### **Food & Nutrition**

Individuals have reliable access to a sufficient quantity of affordable, nutritious food.

#### **Housing Stability**

Individuals have safe, affordable, and stable housing.



## Health & Well-Being



**Employment &** 

**Income Stability** 

#### **Employment & Income Stability**

Individuals maximize their capacity to support themselves financially across their lifespan

#### **Health & Well-Being**

Individuals achieve their desired level of physical, mental, and emotional health



## **Division of Economic and Housing Stability (DEHS)**

## DEHS includes the following:

- Bureau of Child Development & Head Start Collaboration
- Bureau of Child Support Services
- Bureau of Employment Supports
- Bureau of Family Assistance
- Bureau of Housing Supports
- Comprehensive Family Support Services

Additional data will be added to this document as it becomes available.



## **Unduplicated Open Cases - Economic Assistance**

| Caseload                     | Week Ending          |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|------------------------------|----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                              | 31-Jan<br>(Baseline) | 28-Feb  | 27-Mar  | 24-Apr  | 29-May  | 26-Jun  | 31-Jul  | 28-Aug  | 25-Sep  | 30-Oct  | 6-Nov   | 13-Nov  | 20-Nov  |
| Open Cases<br>(Unduplicated) | 119,424              | 119,306 | 118,656 | 122,739 | 125,256 | 126,203 | 127,731 | 128,902 | 130,414 | 132,115 | 132,583 | 133,209 | 133,948 |
| Adult Cash                   | 7,413                | 7,404   | 7,360   | 7,438   | 7,485   | 7,464   | 7,393   | 7,298   | 7,116   | 6,996   | 6,872   | 6,899   | 6,862   |
| FANF Cash                    | 3,673                | 3,627   | 3,621   | 3,783   | 3,808   | 3,746   | 3,798   | 3,611   | 3,542   | 3,412   | 3,300   | 3,350   | 3,306   |
| Medicaid                     | 107,359              | 107,240 | 107,174 | 110,728 | 113,363 | 114,406 | 116,098 | 117,240 | 118,768 | 120,508 | 121,171 | 121,706 | 122,392 |
| SNAP                         | 38,347               | 38,228  | 37,935  | 40,101  | 40,638  | 38,391  | 37,612  | 37,062  | 36,687  | 37,012  | 34,670  | 35,443  | 36,199  |
| Child Care                   | 3,236                | 3,227   | 3,215   | 3,225   | 3,235   | 3,259   | 3,300   | 3,299   | 3,147   | 3,001   | 2,755   | 2,784   | 2,813   |
| QMB/SLMB/QDWI                | 22,920               | 22,897  | 22,845  | 22,869  | 23,342  | 23,426  | 23,484  | 23,533  | 23,599  | 23,740  | 23,651  | 23,685  | 23,717  |

\*Case equals household, not individual people. For example, one case could be a parent and two children or a single person. Data from other sources may reference individuals, not households, which will cause numbers to be reported differently.

FANF Cash – provides financial assistance to eligible families with dependent children

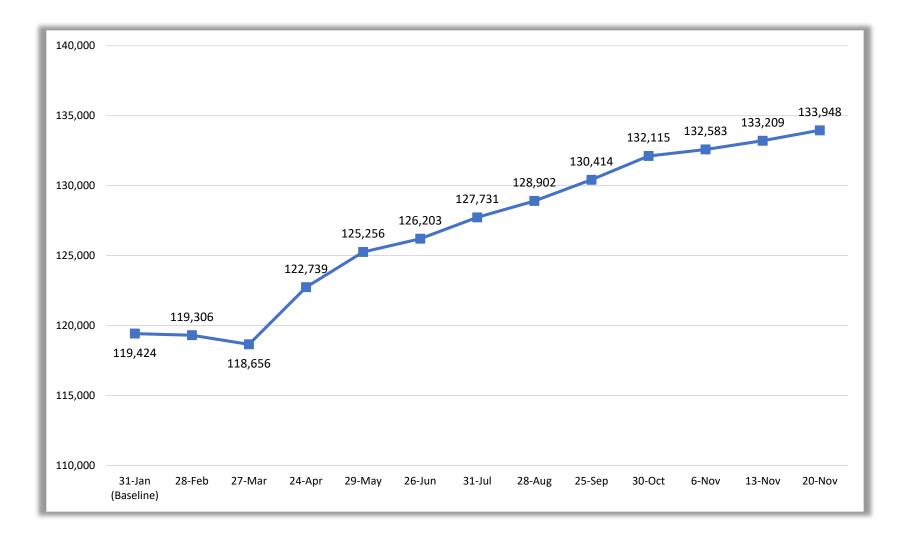
QMB - Qualified Medicare Beneficiary Assistance

**SLMB** – Specified Low-Income Medicare Beneficiary

**QDWI** – Qualified Disabled & Working Individuals

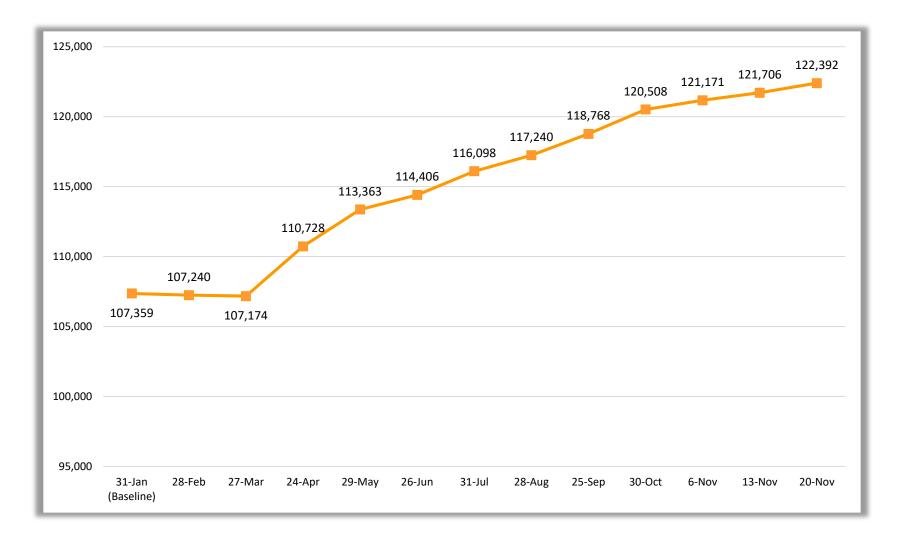


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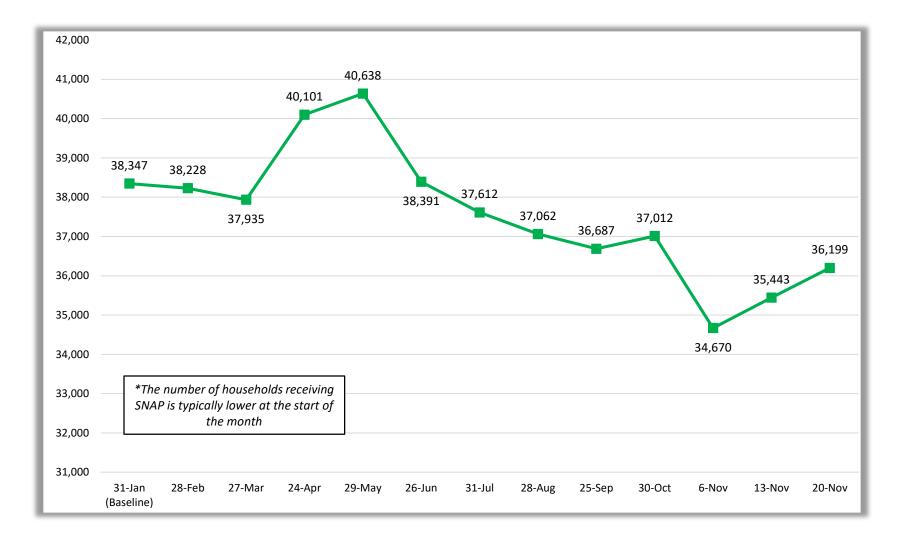


## **Medicaid Caseload Numbers**





## **SNAP Caseload Numbers**

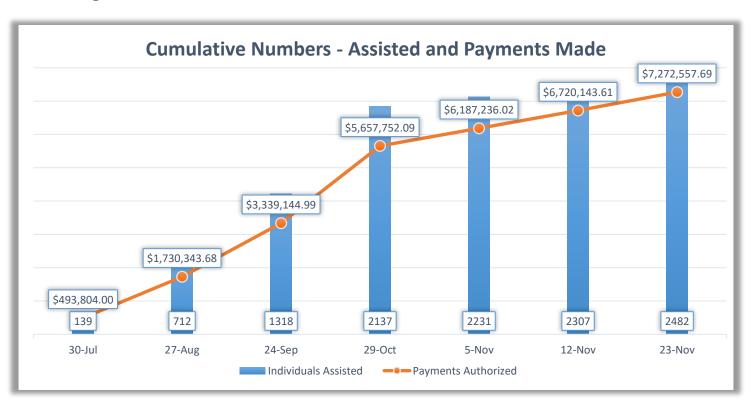




## **NH Housing Relief Program**

The NH Housing Relief Program was created to support families or individuals in need of housing assistance as a result of COVID-19.

Access to the program is through the five (5) Community Action Program agencies located throughout the state.





## **Investment in Child Care During COVID-19**

Through November 16th, over \$45M has been invested in the child care field. This enables 45,360 licensed or allowable capacity spaces across the state.

- Full Time School Age Children Cost Share and
   Infant/Toddler Disaster Days & Cost Share: \$9.6M
- Emergency Child Care Program: \$3M
- Child Care Recovery and Stabilization Program: \$19.6M
- Health and Safety Supplies: \$1M
- Infrastructure & Capacity Building: \$1.83M
- Child Care Recovery and Stabilizations Supplemental: \$10M

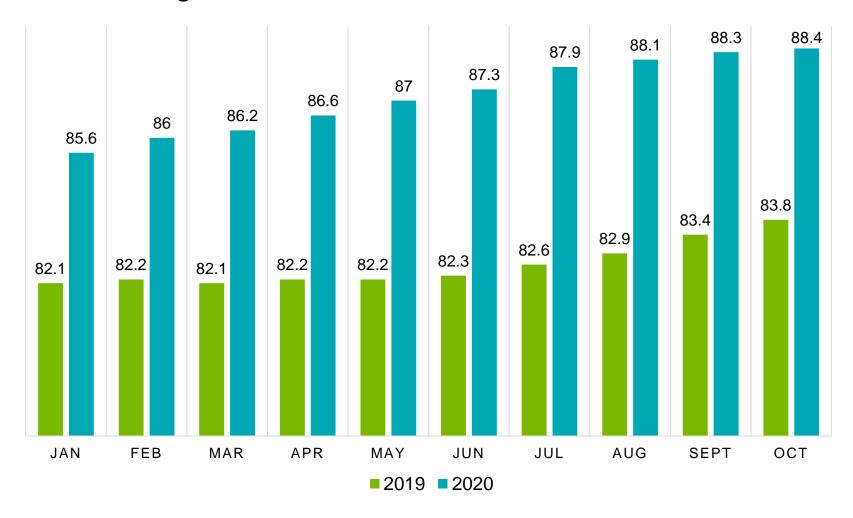
#### Additional investments this fall:

- Absentee billing related to COVID for all children with enrolled providers (August 3, 2020 November 29, 2020)
- Extension of full-time rate for school-age care for hours children would have been in school but for COVID-19 (September 7 January 3, 2020)



## **Bureau of Child Support Services – Support Orders**

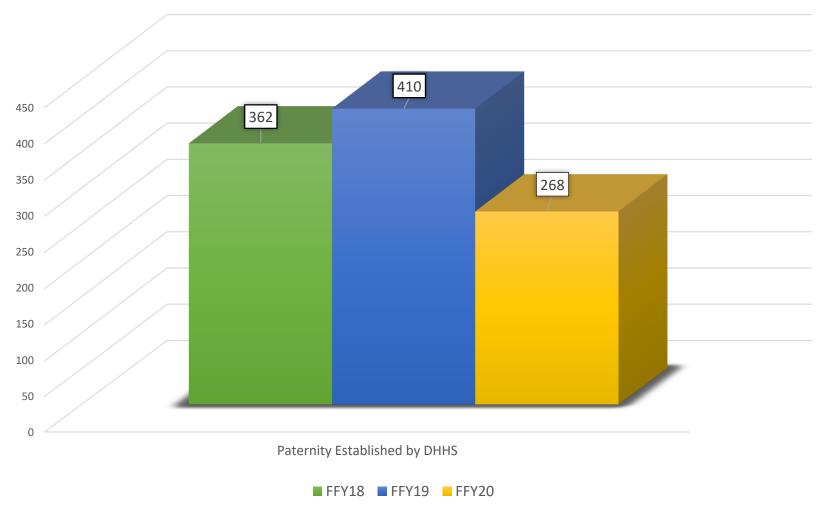
### Percentage of Orders Established in Total Caseload 2019 – 2020





## **Bureau of Child Support Services – Paternity**

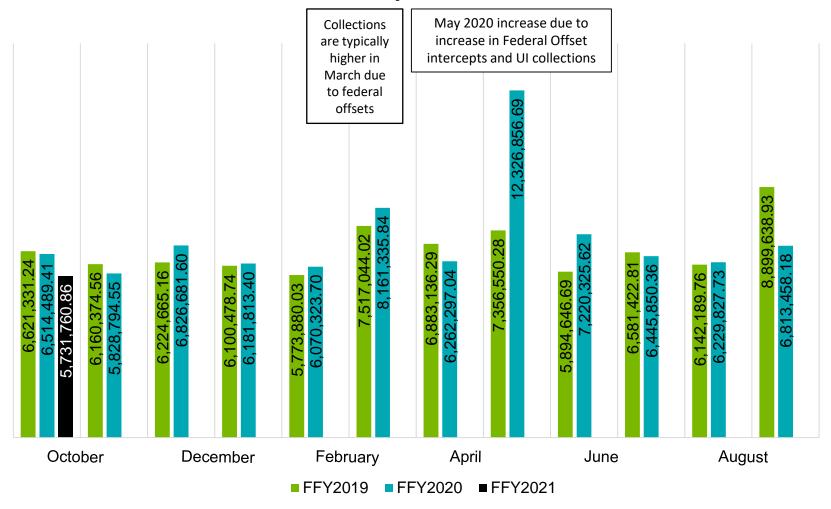
## **Paternity Establishment**





## **Bureau of Child Support Services – Total Collections**

### **Total Collections from All Sources by Month – Federal Fiscal Year 2019-2021**







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